GENERAL SECRETARIAT.

Board of Visitors.

READ—

Government Order No. G. 1343-52—Med. 84-28-39. dated the 31st July 1929, sanctioning the appointment of Committees of Visitors to the District Headquarters Hospitals for a period of two years and calling for proposals for constituting the Committees.

2. Letter No. G. C. 446-16, dated the 18th November 1929, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, forwarding consolidated proposals regarding the personnel of the Committees in the several Districts and requesting approval thereto.

ORDER NO. G. 7043-4—MED. 132-29-2, DATED 7TH DECEMBER 1929.

Approved. A list showing the personnel of the Boards for the several District Hospitals together with a memorandum showing the duties devolving upon them is appended to this order.

R. RANGA RAO,
General Secretary to Government.

List showing the personnel of the Boards for the several District Hospitals.

Name of Hospitals	Names of Members of Board of Visitors
[illegible] Hospital ..	1. Rao Bahadur Mr. N. S. Nanjundaiya, President, District Board, Hassan.
	2. Mr. H. V. Rangaswamy, B.A., LL.B., President, Municipal Council, Hassan.
	3. ,, H. B. Gundappa Gowda, B.A., B.L., Vakil and Municipal Councillor.
	4. ,, Abdul Rahman Sheriff, Municipal Councillor.
	5. ,, K. Gangadharappa, Merchant, Hassan.
ar do ...	1. ,, Hanumappa.
	2. ,, Kalyan Singh.
	3. ,, C. B. Gopala Rao.
	4. ,, Mustapha Saheb.
aldrug do ..	1. ,, B. Krishna Rao, Pleader and Municipal Councillor, Chitaldrug.
	2. ,, Veerabhadrappa, Vice-President, District Board and Municipal Councillor.
	3. ,, C. Anantha Setti, Advocate, Chitaldrug.
	4. ,, Syed Mohiddin Hussein, Khazi and Municipal Councillor, Chitaldrug.
nkur do ..	1. ,, H. Venkataramaiya, B.A., B.L., Advocate and Vice-President, District Board, Tumkur.
	2. ,, K. Rangiengar, B.A., LL.B., President, Municipal Council, Tumkur.
	3. ,, Y. Rama Rao, B.A., First Grade Pleader, Tumkur.
	4. ,, Nabi Khan, Merchant, Tumkur.
kmagalur do	1. ,, C. Vasudeva Rao.
	2. ,, Khizer Khan.
	3. ,, Rudrappa.
	4. ,, M. L. Nagappa Setty.
moga do ..	1. Rev. P. C. Brunt.
	2. Mr. B.S. Mahomed.
	3. ,, C. Subba Rao, Vice-President, District Board, Shimoga.
	4. ,, G. C. Mahalingappa, Vice-President, Town Municipality.

DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEES OF VISITORS OF DISTRICT HOSPITALS.

1. The Committee shall visit the Hospital once a month on a date to be fixed by them and preferably, the third Saturday of every month, in the morning, between 8 and 10.

2. No business will be transacted by the Committee unless at least three members are present.

3. The Medical Officer in charge of the Hospital will send notice of the date of visit to the Members of the Committee a week in advance.

4. It will be the duty of the Committee to hold enquiry into complaints from the public against the working of the institution in so far as it may relate to the convenience and comfort of the patients or to the popularity and usefulness of the institution and to make suitable recommendations to the Senior Surgeon.

5. Other matters cognisable by the Committee will be such as pertain to sanitation, adequacy or otherwise of accommodation, hours of Hospital attendance for out-patients, whether there is any delay in attending to patients, and such other matters (excluding those of a purely professional nature) as affect the well-being of the patients.

6. The Committee is not expected to interfere in any way with the disciplinary control of the Medical Officer over the staff of the Hospital or with any work or records of a purely professional nature.

7. The Medical Officer in charge will be bound to afford facilities to the Committee by complying with all reasonable requisition for information, etc., and will be himself present at the meeting, if called upon to do so.

8. The Committee may submit its recommendations and proposals for improving the usefulness of these institutions to the Senior Surgeon in Mysore.

Elected Presidents for the District Boards of Tumkur, Mysore, Shimoga, Kadur and Chitaldrug.

READ—

Government Order No. Camp 1-72—L. B., dated the 2nd October 1922, sanctioning the appointment of Non-official Presidents to the District Boards of Bangalore, Kolar and Hassan by election in Bangalore and in Kolar and Hassan by nomination.

2. Government Order No. L. 4633-5—L. B. 122-25-5, dated the 17th January 1927, extending the privilege of electing their Non-official Presidents to the Kolar and Hassan District Boards also.

ORDER No. L. 4155-4226—L. B. 30-29-84, DATED 9TH DECEMBER 1929.

Under the orders read above, the Presidents of the District Boards of Bangalore, Kolar and Hassan are at present elected Non-official gentlemen. The other five District Boards have official Presidents. There has been for sometime past a steady and unanimous wish on the part of the Non-official public for having elected Presidents in all District Boards. In view of the fact that the work of the District Boards presided over by Non-official gentlemen has been satisfactory, Government are pleased to extend the privilege of electing their Presidents to the remaining District Boards of Tumkur, Mysore, Shimoga, Kadur and Chitaldrug also.

2. The Deputy Commissioner of the District will cease to be *Ex-officio* Member and President of the District Board in these Districts.

3. This order will have effect from the date of the reconstitution of the present Boards.

R. RANGA RAO,
General Secretary to Government.